ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to a file
management method of digital data stream recorded
or to be record in a rewritable disk. A file

5 management method checks file names and
directories of files written in the rewritable
disk, and outputs a message indicating that
reproduction is impossible when the file names
and directories do not conform to the standard

10 file scheme pre-specified for a disk containing
real-time data file. Another file management
method checks a file name and directory of a file
requested to be recorded in the rewritable disk,
and outputs a message indicating that

15 reproduction would fail later if recorded as
requested when the file name and/or the directory
is against the standard file scheme.